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1. On 2 March 1953, the Kavallerie Schule in Krampnitz was occupied by 5,000 to 6,000 troops who wore red-bordered black epaulets with tank, artillery, motor transport or signal insignia, black-bordered black epaulets and blue-bordered black epaulets. From 100 to 200 troops engaged in field training in the area north of the installation on 26 and 27 February. About 70 soldiers constructed landing stages on the water training site. 25X1

2. On 27 February, 300 to 400 troops engaged in field training on the troop training grounds of Doeberitz, north of Krampnitz Berg Hill. Another estimated 200 troops, 3 T-34/85s and 13 trucks were seen near a command post. Troops reported to a high-ranking officer who came in sedan Trucks towing a 76-mm AT gun and 25X1
drove from the training grounds toward Krampnitz. Nine-teen wooden sheds were constructed in one line on the Doeberitz troop training grounds, north of forest section No 218 on 2 March. Ten of the sheds were about 6 meters wide, about 3 meters deep and about 2.15 meter high. The other sheds were about 3 meters wide, about 3 meters deep and about 2.15 meters high. The large sheds quartered about 5 machine guns on AA tripods while the smaller sheds housed about 3 machine guns on AA tripod. About 60 machine guns covered with tarpaulins were identified. A ditch with metal targets placed at intervals of about 20 cm was about 300 meters before the machine guns. No firing was observed. The wooden sheds were guarded by sentries. 25X1

Comment. the majority of the 10th Gds Tank Div was in the quarters in the Kavallerie Schule prior to 4 March. The troops observed in the southern section of the Doeberitz troop training grounds probably also belong to the division. The trucks belong to the Kriegsschule in Potsdam. 25X1

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